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The Tribune.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1862.

OH, FOR SHAME!

Any body of men, which could, as the Convention did on Friday, refer a congratulatory resolution in reference to the brilliant Union victory at Fort Henry, to a committee for examination, and thus sneakingly refuse to approve the triumph of the Federal arms, is ready for anything, no matter how treasonable, that does not endanger the necks of those who compose it. This is a disloyal manifestation which the people should never forgive—an offense for which every citizen of the State has cause to blush!

SOUND THE CHARGE!

Again we appeal to the military authorities at Washington, and we urge the people of the West and their representatives in Congress, to second the appeal, not to hold back our brave boys who have broken through the rebel line, and now threaten the extinction of the power of the rebellion, in Kentucky. Let them go! For full six months the majority of them have, while pining in camp, or wasting their muscle in building fortifications behind which they first sweltered and then shivered, been longing for an opportunity to fight for their country. Their prayer, like the struggle of the tempest, has been to be set free—to be let loose—to break the restraints of superior power, and to precipitate themselves upon the enemy. Any day, such has been their impatience, they would have marched out, with or without leaders, and ventured an attack. They would have taken Columbus unaided. Left to their own motions, they would have hunted Jeff. Thompson and his crew out of southeast Missouri more than four months ago. They would have taken Fort Henry as the fitting termination of the late reconoissance from Cairo, had they not been restrained. Any where an enemy has appeared since they have had arms in their hands and confidence in their own power, they would have attacked. They are no mercenaries. Their hearts are in the work. Unlike too many who have crowded into the ranks, they enlisted because they loved the cause—not for the pay. They came from the bone and sinew of the people. They are the sons of the soil, eager to defend their birthright; and, to be sent home to-day, or any other day, before they have an opportunity to signalize their valor in a bloody field, would be a punishment that none could bear. Do not, we entreat you, Gen. McClellan, deny them the profound gratification of a quick and brilliant campaign. They can make such an one against any foe that will oppose; because they are no longer raw and intractable volunteers, but proud citizens upon whom the discipline of the soldier has been grafted. Let them loose, and see how quickly they will scatter the armies who oppose them—how quickly they will purge Tennessee, and organize their invincible columns for a descent upon the pestilent regions in which this wicked rebellion was hatched. They may violate the rules of strategy, and defy all the schools of tactics; but they will fight, and like their fellows of the same stock who won Buena Vista, they will never know that they are beaten. "What boys you have," said Old Zack to Col. Bissell, "they don't know when they are whipped!" Cut the tether and let all such boys go, will be the cry of the country. They may be lost sight of awhile; but they will emerge from the dust and smoke in Pensacola or New Orleans, with the emblems of victory and glory streaming from their banners! "Yes, we know "now that your Western men will fight, "but d——n the Yankees, we want to meet "them!" was the constant excuse of the rebels taken prisoners at Belmont. The fling at the Yankees was undeserved, as those same rebels learned when Massachusetts tiled at Ball's Bluff; but the acknowledgment of the valor of our men of the West, is half a victory won. That valor sent the rebels flying from Fort Henry before Gen. Grant's infantry came up; and that it was which, in the bayonet charge of the Ohio 9th, at Somerset, made the Alabamians take to their heels as soon as the glistening of the steel was seen. The rascals knew they would be pricked if they stood. These are the boys for the tussle in Tennessee. Hands off, and let them go! That company of Kansas men, every one of whom was struck by a shot at Wilson's Creek, was not braver than the other regiments that the West has sent to the war. Fifteen hundred such companies are now on Kentucky soil, looking forward to no more welcome excitement, no higher happiness than that of meeting the foe. Woe to red-tape if now, with such soldiers in the field and with such opportunities to strike a great blow, it calls a halt—and forfites! Send the charge, and let the boys pitch in!

THE USURPATION AT SPRINGFIELD.

If we say that the Convention is supreme over the existing Constitution, the laws of the Legislature, and the will of the people, we may admit, at once, that it might exercise the functions of the Supreme Court of the State, and adjudicate finally all causes before it. But who in Illinois supposes that it has authority to do that thing, or what sitter in that Court would submit if such decisions should be rendered? If the Convention is restrained from such an exercise of power, what is the restraining force? Why, the act of the Legislature, approved by the people at the polls, which defined the office of the Convention to be, not the exercise of judicial or legislative power, but the framing of amendments to the Constitution. If that act is operative in the case that we have supposed, it is operative in all other cases in which the Convention travels outside the record. Hence we conclude, that, when the Convention goes at the work of framing ordinances and declaring them in force, instructing the Governor, and legislating for the Auditor, it is dabbling with that with which it has no authority to meddle, and that its legislation and its instructions amount to nothing whatever, and may be safely disregarded whenever they conflict with the order of things which the Constitution now in force and the unrepealed laws of the Legislature now sanction. The Convention was empowered to frame a Constitution, submit its work to the people for their approval or rejection, and nothing more. When that is done, its power is exhausted, and whatever else it attempts may pass for fustian. We quote a part of the act by which the Convention was created:

> SEC. 8. The proceedings of the said Convention shall be certified by the officer of the Secretary of State, and the amendments or alterations to the Constitution agreed to by the said Convention, shall be recorded in his office. The said amendments, and every section or alterations, shall be submitted by the Convention to the people for their adoption, at an election to be called by said Convention; and every person entitled to vote by the Constitution and laws in force at the time fixed for said election, may vote on the question of adopting or rejecting all alterations or amendments, etc.

This extract provokes the following inquiries:

I. Is the Constitution now in force? If we say No, we are without fundamental law or any other law, because all the laws on the statute book have their foundation in the Constitution, and that, the base, being destroyed, the superstructure goes with it. If we say Yes, the Convention, in attempting to legislate, violates the Constitution.

II. Is the Convention higher than the authority which created it? No man will say yes; hence, remembering the fact that the Constitution *now in force* prescribed the method in which the Convention should be called, and, by clear implication, its duties when called, and that the act of the Legislature from which it derives its powers is in accordance with the Constitutional provision, we come inevitably to the conclusion that the limitations of the act are the limitations which the Convention cannot legally disregard.

III. If the Convention cannot frame and put in force a complete Constitution, without, according to the legislative act which we have quoted, submitting the same to the people for their approval, it cannot by framing and putting in force parts of the Constitution which it names "Ordinances" bind the people nor the officers whom the people, in obedience to the existing laws and Constitution, have elected. If it may, then all the Constitution may be, under the name of "Ordinances," adopted piecemeal, and any despotism of any form set up without the people's consent. We see then that the recent Ordinance in relation to "Banks" is not worth the paper upon which it is written, and that the Auditor cannot be expected to obey it.

We take it that the presence of seventy-five gentlemen at Springfield, deliberating in the State House, will disquiet nobody. When they get through their work and submit it to the people, then their tasks will be reviewed. In the meantime, they may be permitted to amuse themselves with playing usurper, as boys play king, and nobody until they attempt, illegally and unconstitutionally, to enforce their ordinances and inflict the penalties of their Legislative acts, will be disposed to quarrel with them. But if their ministers an officers should dare to attempt the consummation of their usurpation by enforcing their paper decrees, we conclude that the officers of the law, from the Governor down to Constable, would teach them that *they* have duties to do which they cannot safely disregard, and that a conflict of authority would arise which might end unpleasantly for the petty despots who are attempting to seize the power of the State. The Governor and his subordinates *have sworn to support the Constitution.* Can the Convention absolve them from their oaths? Until it can, they will be unlikely to commit perjury at its bidding.

Government Contracts—The Maximum Figures not Arbitrary.

Quartermaster General Meigs has addressed a circular to all officers of his department, to the effect that maximum figures are not arbitrary, and that it is not his desire to make contracts at prices advantageous to the Government. It appears, he says, that a memorandum of rates of transportation by railroad, sent to some of the principal Quartermasters, intended by the War Department to be used as a guide in settling accounts, as a limit beyond which no payments would be allowed in any case, has been by some officers misunderstood, and considered as fixing a government tariff of rates to be paid in all cases. They are, therefore, advised that it is the duty of every quartermaster, and other Government officers, in making contracts for services or materials, and in making purchases, to make them at the lowest attainable rates. In no case should the Government pay higher rates than an individual or a corporation for the same services or the same materials. If any quartermaster who allows through freights to be charged as local freights, at higher rates than are ordinarily paid on goods sent over long distances, violates his duty. The rates for transportation for passengers, specified in the tariff above referred to, were at the time of preparation, understood to be one-third below the ordinary rates upon railroads in the Middle States. On western railroads freight and passenger charges are generally lower rates than in the Middle states, and that which would be a fair compensation to a road in the mountains of the East, would be a very high rate over the easy grades of the cheaply constructed railroads of the prairie country. In addition to the regulations of the quartermaster's department, the attention of the newly appointed quartermasters is especially called to article 11, page 147, of the revised regulations of the army in regard to private property, money, and accounts. Many of the regulations in this article are literal transcripts from the laws of Congress. Paragraph 104, in regard to giving public notice of all purchases and contracts where an immediate delivery is not required by a public exigency, is in the words of the law. A careful adherence to these regulations will guide the public officers and protect the treasury against imposition.

The Advance of Gen. Thomas.

After the battle of Somerset it was telegraphed over the military line that Gen. Thomas was in hot pursuit of the flying rebels, and that now deliverance would surely come to the loyal East Tennesseeans. But the promise was all there was of it. The roads in that country are covered, and the army may have found it impossible to proceed. But from the way Gen. Schoepf's brigade made the twenty mile march from Somerset to the battle-field, in mud knee-deep, we believe the boys would not have hesitated to continue the pursuit further; and that it will yet appear that the halt is due, not so much to difficult locomotion, as to "orders from Washington," such as impelled that dreadful retreat from London last October. The troops, who are in the mud themselves, can see no reason why there was no advance, and they growl at being held back to guard swamps and keep tadpoles in subjection. We have had but little news from that quarter since the battle, but it would appear from accounts at hand that the division of General Thomas is being arranged to advance in two columns, one directly upon Cumberland Gap, and the other along the road taken by Zollicoffer's command in their last retreat. The Cumberland Gap expedition is under General Carter of East Tennessee, and comprises the two loyal Tennessee regiments, the 16th Ohio, 49th Indiana, Munday's (Ky.) Cavalry, and Col. Garrard's infantry—in all about 4,500 men, including Capt. Wetmore's Ohio battery. This column was at last accounts (February 3), at "Camp Swamps," fourteen miles beyond London, and only ten miles north of Barbourville. Gen. Carter was anxious to proceed to Barbourville, (which is twenty-five miles from the Gap,) because he could find no forage where he was, but hoped to do so further on. A letter from Camp Swamps, the 3d inst., written by one of the Tennessee volunteers, says:

> The reports about the number of troops now in the Gap are conflicting, but after hearing them all, and adding, subtracting and dividing, there must be some 4,000 or 4,500 there.
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> Affairs in East Tennessee are getting no better very fast. Since the battle, most of the prominent secession citizens have been packing up their plunder and moving to a more congenial climate further South. It is useless to relate the incidents of outrages committed. Men coming in every day, tell the same old story—if anything, worse. Secession is in very near the last agonies, and the many-headed monster dies hard. The writhes and kicks convulsively, and these last convulsive kicks will upset the worldly prospects and peace of mind of many a prosperous, happy family.
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> This mountain country that our road from Somerset here lay through, is the most leaky country I ever was in. It rains every night, just as sure as the sun goes down, and sometimes—just to show us that it is not bashful about the thing—it rains through the day-time. However, all obstructions can be cheerfully overcome, and no one cares for rain or mud while we are on the homeward track. The only thing we despise is an encampment.

As to the other column, under Gen. Thomas, the accounts are less distinct as to their number and present location. All the troops have left Somerset, except the 31st Ohio, which remains as a guard, and it is probable that the force numbers about 8,000, and that it is somewhere near Monticello, about ten miles beyond the Mill Spring battle field. And so ends, for the present, the promised "deliverance of East Tennessee."

Advancing on Green River.

The Indianapolis *Journal* of Friday announces on good authority that Gen. Nelson's division of 12,000 infantry, and a due proportion of cavalry, has broken up its camp at Camp Wickliffe, near New Haven, and marched to Green river, and takes the advance. Also, that the pickets of Col. Bridgland's cavalry are daily firing, from this side of Green river, at the enemy's pickets—Texan Rangers—on the opposite side. As the latter have only shotguns, they do but little harm, while our men occasionally pick off one or more of theirs with their carbines.

Foreign Intervention.

By the arrival of the Nova Scotian at Portland, we have five day's later intelligence. Although the London *Times* opposes *immediate* interference in our affairs by the English government, we cannot regard the general complexion of the news as reassuring. Mr. Massey having delivered a speech at Telford, advocating interference by the European powers to close the struggle between the North and South, the *Times* says in the course of its comments: "Let France interfere if she likes—"England's true policy is to suffer a little longer "and let the event work itself out; it will not "be long. It may indeed be doubtful whether "our interference would not rather retard "than hasten the desired event of opened "ports and a large supply of cotton. Let "us, then, pursue our honest policy of standing quite aloof." The article of which this is a specimen would seem to have been intended to check a growing feeling in favor of the immediate recognition of the Confederate States. It is supposed that France is on the point of moving in that direction, and the *Times* counsels a further but limited delay. We have no doubt that, in offering this advice, the *Times* represents the wishes of the British Government. It is aware that the whole aspect of the war may change within the ensuing two or three months. If we shall gain important victories within that time the whole difficulty about the cotton supply will vanish.

We copy the major portion of the *Times'* article in another column.

The Gordon Case—Mistaken Clemency.

The respite granted to the slave-trader Gordon by President Lincoln, will certainly not receive the indorsement of the loyal, law-abiding people of this country. If the design is to hang him at the end of the period for which he is respited, it is cruel to the prisoner and to his friends; if to cheat the gallows by commuting his sentence, it will be an act of weakness and mistaken clemency. Since 1820, the slave trade has been accounted piracy by our laws, and the moral sense of mankind, as well as the practice of all civilized nations, has sanctioned the putting to death of all engaged in this nefarious traffic. We trust that this temporary arrest of the execution is what it purports to be, only a respite, and not the precursor of a commutation. If it has been adopted as a feeler of public sentiment on the subject, we are quite sure that the response will be such as to leave no doubt of the judgment of the country.

Deaths in the Third Wisconsin Regiment.

The following is a list of deaths in the Third Wisconsin regiment, from their entry in the service to December 31, 1861:

THIRD WISCONSIN REGIMENT.

Rank.	Name.	Date.	Cause
Private	Henry Clemens	Oct. 16.	Killed in action.
Private	Franklin L. Tuttle	Oct. 16.	Killed in action.
Fifer	Wm. A. Eames	Sep. 25.	Typhoid fever.
Corp'l	John Stegman	Oct. 27.	Typhoid fever.
Private	Josiah Underwood	Sec. 1.	Bilious fever.
Private	Stewart E. Mosher	Oct. 18.	Killed in action.
Private	Henry Raymond	Oct. 18.	Killed in action.
Private	Edgar Ross	Oct. 24.	Wnds rec'n act.
Private	Perry L. Yorger	Nov. 16.	Typhoid fever.
Mus'n	Horace Northrop	Nov. 20.	Phthisis.
Private	Clark Austin	Nov. 14.	Typhoid fever.
Private	Joseph W. Bemis	Dec. 21.	Fills o' Pulmo's.
Private	John Meyers	Nov. 17.	Dropsy of head.
Corp'l	John F. Gaston	Nov. 8.	Dysentery.
Private	Israel Yonsonny	Dec. 15.	Erysipelas.
Private	Irwin Pierce	Oct. 30.	Typhoid fever.
Private	Richard Foltz	Sep. 28.	Typhoid fever.
Private	John A. Morgan	Oct. 24.	Typhoid fever.
Private	George Burton	Oct. 25.	Wnds rec'n act.
Private	Jos. M. Burton	Nov. 1.	Typhoid fever.
Serg't	Amos A. Eld	Oct. 24.	Fever.
Private	Ole Osmanson	Oct. 17.	Fever.
Private	John Benson	Nov. 27.	Fever.
Total			24 Deaths.

The deaths since Jan. 1 are not given in the New York papers from which we clip the above.

The Albany Bridge Case—Legal Obstacles Removed.

The Albany (New York) *Statesman* says all legal obstacles to the building of a railroad bridge across the Hudson River, at that city, have been removed by the decision in the Passaic River bridge case which has been for some time pending before the United States Supreme Court. In 1858 Judge Grier decided that, on such a river as the Passaic, running entirely within a single State, the United States Courts had no power to interfere, and therefore the bridge could be built in accordance with the act of the Legislature. An appeal from the decision was taken to the Supreme Court, and on Monday it was announced the Court was equally divided, and hence Judge Grier's decision stands. The Newark *Advertiser*, commenting on the decision, says:

> The Albany case is differently situated. In that case Justice Nelson and his colleague in the Northern Circuit Court of New York, Judge Hall, sustained the Government, the latter being in favor of interference and an injunction against the construction of a bridge, the latter opposed. The case was therefore certified to the Supreme Court for solution. The Supreme Court being divided, no advice can be given, and therefore the bill for injunction will be dismissed in that case also. Consequently in both cases, all legal obstacles to the construction of the bridge is removed.

Taking the Oath in St. Louis.

Every day since the order of Gen. Halleck calling on public men in Missouri to record their oaths of allegiance "as an example," the office of the Provost Marshal has been thronged with people, obeying the injunction. Among those who took the oath on Thursday were George R. Taylor, President of the Pacific Railroad; Daniel R. Garrison, Director of the Pacific Railroad; Mississippi Railroad; Treasurer, Director of the North Missouri Railroad, etc. All the clergymen of the city have now "sworn." Rev. E. J. Foote, of the Third Baptist church, backed his oath with the following texts:

> "Put them in mind to be subject to principalities and powers, to obey magistrates, to be ready to do every good work."—*Paul to Titus, chap.* vii. 1.
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> "Submit yourselves to every ordinance and form for the Lord's sake."—*Peter to the Churches, first Epistle, chap.* ii. 13.
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> "Whosoever therefore resisteth the power, resisteth the ordinance of God; and they that resist shall receive to themselves damnation."—*Paul to the Romans, chap.* xiii, 2.

☞ It will be remembered that a year ago there was a feud between Heffren and Moody of Southern Indiana, that came near culminating in a duel in the vicinity of Covington, Ky. The parties were indicted in the Campbell county (Ky.) court, and the case was called last week, when it appeared that Heffren was lieutenant Colonel in Buell's division, and Moody a Colonel in Western Virginia. Col. Heffren's "second" is the Gen. Milroy, in the Kentucky army. So the case was continued until the next term.

☞ Judge Sample Orr of Springfield, Mo., who made the run for Governor of his State in 1860, and was narrowly beaten by the now deposed traitor Claib. Jackson, announces that he is prepared to run for the office again next fall, if the people manifest a desire to have him do so. He says he will not stand in the way of other men, or cannot consent to a division of the Union vote, and he will only accept an election as the unmistakable choice of the people.

☞ It appears by the report of Representative Ward, adverse to the abrogation of the Canada reciprocity treaty, that the value of Canadian productions has increased twenty per centum by the treaty. While the United States tax Canadian productions $35,000 per annum, Canada taxes our productions $1,000,000, and also has an unfair system of discriminations against the United States. The report was recommitted for the further action of the committee.

☞ Brig. Gen. Hamilton, commanding at St. Louis, announces that all absent members of regiments who do not return to their places on or before February 9th, will be seized as deserters and sent to Cairo to work on fortifications—an announcement that should hurry up the delinquents.

☞ The Government lease of the Merchant's Exchange building, on Wall street, New York, for a custom house, (the present custom house to be used by the assistant U. S. Treasurer,) has, it is said, some hitch in it that will delay if not defeat the project. It was proposed to make the change May 1st.

☞ The Minnesota Senate granted a request of Mrs. Swisshelm to address them for half an hour on a bill which she would then offer for enactment, and assigned Friday for hearing her. The subject upon which she would ask legislation has not transpired.

☞ The Breckinridge Democratic Convention of Connecticut meets at Hartford on the 12th inst. It will be remembered that the Douglas Democrats have already united with the Republicans in re-nominating Gov. Buckingham.

☞ H. M. Billings, Esq., Democratic candidate for Governor of Wisconsin at the last election, was on Friday thrown from his sleigh near his home at Avoca, in Iowa county and instantly killed.

☞ A bill has passed both branches of the Minnesota Legislature to prevent residents of seceded States from availing themselves of the Minnesota courts in the collection of debts.

☞ The Wheeling *Intelligencer* says a heavy shipment of army goods was made last Wednesday from the Government store house, on board the steamer Victor, bound for the Kanawha region. Among the goods shipped was a lot of four thousand rubber blankets.

☞ Counterfeit bills on the Terre Haute branch of the Bank of the State of Indiana were scattered in Cincinnati, on Thursday, and one banker at least was "stuck" with them.

☞ The Quincy *Whig* says Major John Wood, of Cavanaugh's Illinois cavalry, has resigned.

Secretary Stanton to Command the Army.

[Washington Correspondence of N. Y. Tribune.]

Rumor grows into belief that Secretary of War Stanton will speedily resume in fact, as he has commenced to do in form, the conduct of the war, which usage and departmental law give him the right to do. The public was not unobservant of the difference between two recent orders of congratulation to the army, the first issued by authority of Gen. McClellan, and the second by authority of the President. The office of General-in-Chief, complimentary to Winfield Scott, did not survive the hero's retirement. The President is Commander-in-Chief of the Army, and he, with his able and prodigiously magnetic War Secretary, will now lift this war out of mud and delay, and easy it to victory. Gen. McClellan will be placed in command of the Department of the Potomac.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

The Expulsion of Jesse D. Bright.

[From our own Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, February 6, 1862.

The scene in the Senate Chamber yesterday was most impressive. The galleries were crowded long before the hour fixed for taking up Senator Wilkinson's resolution for the expulsion of Bright. It was known that Bright would make his final defense and that the vote would if possible be taken before the adjournment. Every Senator was in his place except Gen. Lane, of Kansas, and as the debate drew near its end, members of the other House came flocking in, till all the sofas were filled and all the available standing places occupied. Senator Harris commenced the discussion, in defense of Bright, in the same unhappy style that characterized his former effort, but closed with the cheerful announcement that the verdict was made up and Mr. Bright would be expelled. Mr. Ten Eyck, of N. J., followed in a still more dolorous strain, remarking that his State and nearly all his friends felt grieved at the course he had taken, and that some of them had written to him that his "grave was his dog." He (Ten Eyck) expressed much sincerity in going down to the silent tomb, but he wished to write his own epitaph: "Here lies one who dared to do what he thought was right." I must say that Mr. Ten Eyck has impressed me throughout as exactly that kind of a man. He seems to believe thoroughly that Bright was guiltless of treasonable intent, while Harris and Cowan merely believed that the case had not been made out judicially against him. Mr. Cowan then made a brief argument, and much the best one of the day, for Bright, confessing that the *universal* sentiment of Pennsylvania was in favor of the expulsion of the Senator from Indiana. All of the speaking, except a few words uttered by McDougall of California, was on Bright's side, apparently by common consent. The previous day had been occupied by an able argument from Mr. Browning, and another by Mr. Doolittle, a feeble one by Mr. Dixon, and a bombastic one by Mr. Sumner, all against the culprit. This day was given up to him and his friends.

Finally it came Mr. Bright's turn to say why sentence should not be pronounced against him. His speech was carefully written and defiantly pronounced. Ex-Senator Green, of Missouri, who sat near him, is supposed to have penned the greater portion of it. That part of the letter to Jefferson Davis which referred to the "great improvement in the arms" he was asking over without a word of explanation or apology. In its place was a vast deal of obfuscation about partisan malice, together with frequent breast-thumping when referring to what he denominated his conscience. Having finished his speech by promising to carry his wounded reputation to Indiana, and there to come back to the Senate with twenty mortal murders on his head, he gathered up his papers and departed through the cloak-room to the Secretary's office, where he drew his pay up to date, and then left the building. Solemn as was the scene, it was not without its ridiculous features. Mr. Willey of Virginia on the previous day had alluded to Mr. Bright's letter of the 9th of *September* last to Jonathan Fitch, in answer to an inquiry of said Fitch whether Bright had really written the letter to Jeff. Davis of treason, and had sent this letter to Fitch, Mr. Bright said he was "opposed to the entire coercive policy of the Government." Willey quite properly said that much light might be thrown upon the letter to Davis if we could get at the real meaning of the subsequent letter to Fitch—that the latter could explain it. He thought that he did not have anticipated the issue of war on the 1st of March, he could not conceive how any man of his high American Senator could have been "opposed to the entire coercive policy of the Government" on the 9th of September. The one thing explained the other in his judgment. Bright will be expelled. He would, as Bright what he did mean by this phrase in the letter to Fitch, and upon the answer to that question would depend the vote. Mr. Bright finished his speech without once referring to the phrase "opposed to the entire coercive policy of the Government." He alluded to Gen. Wadsworth, and Gen. Simpson, South of Sangamon, Solomon, Stone, Tanner, Thompson, Thornton, Vandevoer, Waters, Webber, Wheeler, Wilson, Woodson, Young, Mr. President—40.

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American Presentees Out of Favor at Court.

[From the London Times, Jan. 23.]

At the European Courts no foreigner is presentable unless he has been presented at his own court. As all Americans have a right to appear at a levee or drawing-room, they are of course eligible to a similar distinction abroad. The matter has, however, been overdone. Some Americans scarcely presentible in any society according to the Paris correspondent of the London *Post*, having been presented to Napoleon recently, when the New Year's reception came round at Fort and sent in a list of thirty persons, Thouvenel, Minister of Foreign Affairs, addressed him a note inquiring the rank and position of the applicants. Mr. Dayton simply replied that they were such as would be received by the President. The result of the matter was that no Americans at all were presented.

☞ They have discovered a lead streak on a farm on Piney Creek, near the Belmont and Monroe line, in Ohio. The Woodsfield *Spirit* thinks it may be an extensive discovery and very valuable.

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THE CONVENTION.

Legislation on the Banking Question by a Body that has no Legislative Functions.

THE GREAT USURPATION.

Our report of Friday's proceedings of the Convention was received at so late an hour on Saturday that we can make room for the following only, which is the gist of the Convention's action:

SPRINGFIELD, Friday, Feb. 7, 1862.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE—BANKS AND CURRENCY.

On motion of Mr. Thornton the Convention went into Committee of the Whole on the subject of Banks and Currency. Mr. Richmond took the chair.

Mr. Thornton moved that the Committee recommend the Convention to adopt the preamble and resolutions of the Committee on Banks and Currency, and report the same to the House, and recommend its adoption.

Mr. Wentworth opposed the motion, and asked that they be referred to a select committee.

Mr. Thornton thought that this would be an insult to the Committee.

Mr. Thornton's motion was finally adopted, and the Committee rose and reported progress.

IN CONVENTION AGAIN—AN ORDINANCE PASSED—WHO'S TO EXECUTE IT.

The Chairman of the Committee of the Whole then reported back the following as the report of the Committee:

WHEREAS, By the 10th section of the tenth article of the constitution of this state, it is provided that "No act of the general assembly authorizing corporations or associations with banking powers, shall go into effect or in any manner be in force, unless the same shall be submitted to the people at the general election next succeeding the passage of the same, and be approved by a majority of all votes cast at said election for and against such laws;" *and whereas*, since the original general banking law of this State was passed and submitted to the people, pursuant to the provisions of said constitution, alterations and amendments of the same have been made and passed by the general assembly, conferring additional rights and privileges upon banks and associations with banking powers, materially altering and changing their liabilities and powers, particularly by permitting them to withdraw and retire their securities deposited with the auditor, and to retire their circulation, until the same shall not exceed the sum of $100, and by authorizing the said banks and associations to suspend specie payment, without submitting such amendments and alterations to the people, as provided in the 5th section of the article in the constitution aforesaid; which said several laws are, as your committee is advised and believes, in direct conflict with said section and article of the said constitution; *and whereas*, It is the intention of this convention that each and every bank, banking corporation or association now having power in this State, the aggregate amount of the capital stock of which has at any time hitherto been loss in cash, or its equivalent available specie funds, or which has at any time failed or refused to redeem its circulation and indebtedness in gold or silver, has forfeited its charter, and ought to be put into liquidation as provided by law. Therefore, be it

Resolved by the Auditor of Public Accounts be requested and instructed not to issue, hereafter, any circulating notes, or other written or printed instruments to circulate as money, to any bank, banking corporation or association, for banking purposes in this State, now in existence or hereafter to be created; unless the bank, banking corporation or association for banking purposes, applying for such issue, shall show to the satisfaction of the Auditor, by the affidavits of at least two credible witnesses, (which affidavit shall be filed by the Auditor in his office) that such bank, banking corporation or association for banking purposes, has always, previously thereto, had an actual cash capital stock of not less than $50,000, and has refused to pay and redeem its circulation in gold and silver, and that said bank, banking corporation or association has not, at the time of such application, in its vault, (at the place of location of said bank mentioned in the certificate required to be filed with the Auditor) specie belonging to such bank, banking corporation or association for such purpose, actually and in good faith paid in as capital stock to the amount of $50,000.

Mr. Thornton. I should have said, in Committee of the Whole moved an amendment to the resolution, which is in parenthesis above, and which Judge Purple accepted.

The amendment was adopted by the convention, it was accepted by ayes and noes as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Alexander, Allen of Jersey, Bartley, Brooks, Bunn, Canaster, Burr, Campbell, Duff, Eades, Edwards, French, Graham, Hanna, Jackson, Koepfli, Lieth, McNeely, Morrill, Morgan, Morton, O'Melveny, Parker, Purple, Richmond, Ross, Simpson, Smith of Sangamon, Solomon, Stone, Tanner, Thompson, Thornton, Vandevoer, Waters, Webber, Wheeler, Wilson, Woodson, Young, Mr. President—40.

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The Tribune.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1862.

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DEATH AT THE SHERMAN HOUSE.—We regret to learn that J. B. Holbrook, son of J. Holbrook, Esq., long known as the Special Agent of the Post Office Department, and author of "Ten Years among the Mail Bags," died on Friday last, at the Sherman House.

THE WAR FUND COMMITTEE.—The War Fund Committee were in session all day Saturday, meeting the financial wants of the soldiers' wives. Several hundreds were supplied and the entire day was consumed in the disbursements.

JOUVIN'S ART OF WAR.—The new edition of this valuable work, translated by Lieut. Craighill, is just published by J. B. Lippincott & Co., and may be procured from J. R. Walsh, corner of Madison street and Custom House Place. Price $1.50.

PORTFOLIOS.—A large and elegant assortment of morocco covered portfolios of the very best manufacture, together with a variety of army writing cases for soldiers, have been received by McNally & Co., of 51 Dearborn street, who are selling them at actual New York prices.

MRS. GEN. LANE'S CARRIAGE DEMOLISHED.—As will be seen in our telegraph dispatches elsewhere, Mrs. Gen. Lane's fine carriage, presented to her during her late stay in this city, was completely demolished by the accident on the Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad upon the 7th inst.

THEATRICAL.—Matilda Heron commenced the last week of her engagement at McVicker's this Monday evening, appearing as "Camille," her new comedy, the "Belle of the season," having been withdrawn in the midst of its success to gratify those who wish to see her in the character which first gave her fame.

NEWSBOYS' LICENSES.—One hundred licenses have been issued to newsboys by the Comptroller, elevating the news business to quite a respectable branch of trade. When it is considered that a newsboy who has cleared a dollar in his days' business considers trade dull, it may account for the number engaged in the traffic.

THIRD WEEK OF MAGIC.—Prof. Anderson commences the third week of his magical entertainment this (Monday) evening, with a programme replete with fresh novelties, among which is the famous feat of "The Bonnet from the Clouds." A noticeable feature of these entertainments is the reduction of prices: reserved seats, fifty cents; body of the house and gallery, twenty-five cents.

COCOAINE SOAP.—The beneficial effects of the celebrated cocoaine soap, so perceptible to all who use it, are as follows: It softens, cleanses and beautifies the skin, while its fragrant and refreshing qualities, together with the silken smoothness which it imparts to the hands and face are the unmistakeable evidences of its excellence and agreeable influences. It possesses cooling and anodyne properties, and is esteemed a most valuable accompaniment to the bath room. Put up in boxes at 35 and 50 cents by Smith & Dwyer, druggists and chemists, opposite the Tremont House.

THE FRANKLIN INSTITUTE JOURNAL.—Elsewhere will be found an advertisement of that patriarchal scientific monthly, the *Journal of the Franklin Institute*. It recommends itself to all mechanical and scientific men. By the experience of its contributors, and the value of the contributions on all matters of mechanical science and engineering, it is a *sine mecum* and should be in the hands of every one whose profession it illustrates. Sample numbers may be seen at Walsh's, corner of Madison street and Custom House Place.

ASSAULT WITH AN AXE.—A man by the name of John Kennedy, residing at the corner of Jefferson and Carroll streets, was brought before the Police Court on Saturday morning, charged with an assault with an axe upon one Wm. Gray. The quarrel took place at the house of the defendant, and arose from an attempt of Kennedy to rid himself of a non-paying boarder. Kennedy used rather tangu ge regarding Gray's wife. Gray resented it, and a fight ensued. Kennedy brought it to a close by bringing in an axe, with which he severely injured his opponent about the head. The Court assessed an appropriate fine.

A TRULY NOBLE INSTITUTION.—Notwithstanding the war, the annual statement of the great New Jersey Mutual Life Insurance Company, of which Thos. B. Bryan, Esq., is agent, shows a net balance on hand of four and five millions of dollars, after having already paid a like sum in dividends, and on claims of the families of deceased members. It dividended 45 per cent in addition, and in favor of the insured. In these critical times no prudent man should fail to invest a few dollars in a life policy to secure thousands to his family whenever he shall be taken from them. The annual statement can be had at the office in Bryan Hall.

SWORD PRESENTATIONS.—The officers, clerks and other employees of the United States Courts went in a body to Camp Douglas on Friday afternoon and presented an elegant officer's sword, sash and belt to Lieutenant Geo. J. Waterman, company B, Fifty-first Regiment Illinois Volunteers. The mutual friendship formerly existing between the Lieutenant and the donors brought forth kindly expressions from both parties, after which a well-known porter of the court, "Adam," mounted an empty box and made an extempore presentation address, conceived in true African simplicity—barring the big words with which it was interlarded—and delivered in genuine stump speech style. His remarks though unofficial were to the point.

The same donors, subsequently visited the quarters of Lieutenant A. Erskine, of Bell's Cavalry, and presented him with a sword and sash. The latter recipient was also an employee of the United States Court. The visit to Camp Douglas was a very pleasant affair, both to the two lieutenants and their old-time friends and associates.

THE POLICE COURT ROOM.—For the past week or more the business of the Police Court has been conducted in the apartment used for the Policemen of the Central Station, but now the commodious court room above is finished, and on Monday will be used for holding the sittings of this tribunal. Several changes, some for the better and some not to be so greatly commended, have been made in the arrangement of the apartment. The dock where prisoners are held until their cases may be disposed of, has been cut down in a manner permitting the Justice and officers a full view of his contents, preventing the disgusting scenes of strife and violence heretofore frequently enacted by those confined there. The platform for the Justices, attorneys and reporters has also been changed, giving more elbow room to the Court, less for the lawyers, and less opportunities for reporters to hear what may be going on, unless they choose to sit in front of the stage with the clerk and officers. The wood-work has been neatly painted and grained, and the whole establishment renovated and cleaned. On the whole, the Police Court may congratulate itself upon its greatly improved aspect, viewed from the front or auditorium.

BLOAR'S COMMERCIAL COLLEGE.—To the business community of this city this popular institution needs no commendation of ours, for we hazard nothing in saying that it possesses the entire confidence of our citizens in all respects, and has acquired the highest reputation for its practical qualities and thoroughness in every department of mercantile science. The institution is, we are confident, one of the most complete and comprehensive in the country. No department of a thorough commercial education, calculated to fit the student for the practical duties of his after life, is unprovided for. A large number of accomplished accountants, and some of our most successful and enterprising business men have been educated at this College.

The causes of the great success which has attended this enterprise are to be found—first, in the eminent capacity, the zeal and perseverance of the President; second, in the practical results of the education afforded in the institution, as demonstrated by the intelligent business action of its graduates after leaving its halls, and all because the course of instruction is strictly confined to a legitimate business education, introducing everything practical and useful, and studiously avoiding all clap-trap and humbug; and third, in the wide-spread public confidence which the two preceding causes have inspired.

We find from our exchanges from many different and distant places that the fame of the College is extending and rising. May its fame increase and its prosperity advance in a manner commensurate with its merits. We often see it recommended as one of the best institutions of the kind, and we say that the advancement of this institution is bound up with the prosperity of our city.

DEATH AT THE CITY HOSPITAL.

Another Victim of Seduction.

Hardly a week has passed since we detailed the facts in a case of painful interest, illustrating the perfidious attending the death of a young woman who had become the victim of seduction and abortion. Another case of a similar character has lately culminated here, the facts in which are somewhat as follows:

On Thursday, two weeks ago, a young woman calling herself Mary Fitzgibbons went to live at the house of Mrs. Kate Honey, residing at No. 120 North Clark street, her duties being those common to female house servants. She had not been long in the situation when it became evident to her employers that she was soon to become a mother. Upon being questioned in a friendly manner, the young woman admitted that such was the fact, and that the cause of her difficulties, a man by the name of Lye, resided at Henry, Marshall county, where she had a sister living.

Miss Fitzgibbons was an Irishwoman, about twenty-four years of age. She did not desire to say much about herself or her relatives, and seemed to shun society from the reason before stated. Matters passed quietly enough at the place of Mrs. Honey, for about a week, but on Thursday last the servant girl Mary was taken suddenly ill, and soon went into violent convulsions. In fact, so dangerous was her illness that Dr. Schlotzer, a German physician, was sent for and prescribed for her. On Friday morning she rallied a little and appeared to improve, but shortly after relapsed into her former state and had a recurrence of the convulsions. Being convinced that the girl could not live very long, it was decided to take her to the Hospital of the Sisters of Mercy, and this was undertaken, but the Sisters not receiving such cases, she was taken to the City Hospital and was placed under the best medical care. She continued to grow worse, and at four o'clock on Saturday morning died.

From some of the symptoms attending the decease of Miss Fitzgibbons, suspicions were entertained that she came to her death in a manner similar to that which carried off the unfortunate Abbey Doane; hence Coroner James called in the services of Dr. Gore, the City Physician, and he held a *post mortem* examination. The result of his labors was reported to the Coroner's jury, and was to the effect that death had been produced in the natural result of an attack of puerperal convulsions. After listening to the testimony of Mrs. Honey, given substantially above, the jury closed the inquest and brought in a verdict in accordance with the facts as stated.

In her dying hour, Miss Fitzgibbons stated some circumstances not previously known, regarding the author of her ruin,—James Lye, and disclosed the fact that her parents resided about half a mile from Bridgeport, her father's name being Fitzgibbons. These statements were found those regarding her sister at Henry, were confirmed by letters found among her effects after her decease, and one she had written to her sister and never mailed. In a letter written by Miss Jane Fitzgibbons, Mary's sister, probably, and directed to her at Chicago, occurs a sentence remarkably suggestive of the character of the man who had worked the ruin of the deceased. It says: "James Lye makes his boasts here that he could have you with him here if he so desired." Relentless Death has rendered that boast a lie as false as the heart of the man who made it.

The Claims of Soldiers.

Readers of the daily papers have undoubtedly ere this become heartily tired of seeing the name of the Mechanic Fusileer Regiment in print, yet they must once more suffer the infliction, and that time in justice to the every good men connected with that unfortunate organization.

In the first place, regarding the families of men lately belonging to the Fusileers residing in this city, it appears that the mustering of the regiment out of the service has brought the wives and children of those who have re-enlisted at Camp Douglas—and their number is large—within, and subject to the rule made by the County Supervisors at their last meeting, which declares that no money shall be paid the families of such men as enlist subsequent to the 10th day of December last, and instructs the County War Committee to disburse their funds in accordance with said rule. At least, this has been the decision of the Committee in numerous cases where women have applied for their pittance, and in instances where, before the mustering out of the Fusileers and the re-enlistment in other regiments, their claims were considered good and regularly paid. Now, however, without one part of the War Committee is undoubtedly allowable under the circumstances, as they do not desire,—and it is not right they should—to take the responsibility of paying out large sums of money in a manner unauthorized by the Board of Supervisors. But still the wives of the men who have by a change of regiment never ceased to serve their country—and for which service it is generally known they have not yet received their pay—are as much entitled by all the rules of justice if not by law to receive their weekly stipend from the County as they ever were, and some means should at once be used to warrant the committee in reconsidering their decision on the subject. If they could in some way be assured of the support of the Supervisors in so doing, we know the members of the Committee well enough to say without hesitation, that they would at once resume the payments to the wives and children of all the late Fusileers who have re-enlisted in the county. Cannot this be accomplished?

Another thing: As had been anticipated, many of the men forming Col. Wilson's late regiment, being anxious to return to their homes, or to other parts of the country, to re-enlist, not having been paid off and hence penniless, in order to raise it are disposing of their claims against the Government to sharpers and speculators at a ruinous discount. This should not be allowed. We are credibly informed that this regiment will be the first to receive pay when the funds shall be appropriated, and we are pleased to observe that the Paymaster having this especial regiment in charge, has exercised his official authority and pointedly refused to recognize the claims of these brokers, and only those of, first, the men themselves, and secondly, the duly executed power of Attorneys of the men directing one of their own own commissioned officers to draw their money. This has, of course, created no little excitement. But the Paymaster is undoubtedly right, and should be sustained in a course calculated and intended to prevent the soldiers from being shaved by sharpers out of their hard-earned dollars. In his refusal to pay other than the officers of the regiment, Paymaster Whitney has done no more than the regulations warrant. In fact, we believe he could not be compelled to pay any one, other than the soldier serving, or his legal heir or administrator.

The pay of the Fusileers is sure to come in due season, and we would warn the men not to be duped, but wait patiently for the appointed day. If they must part with their claims, let them pursue the course pointed out by the Paymaster.

Arrival of Minnesota Soldiers.

On Saturday morning a party of officers connected with the gallant Minnesota Second, who participated in the glorious victory at Somerset, arrived in this city en route for Minnesota, having been detailed for recruiting duty. The party numbered five persons, as follows: Capt. Markham, Co. B; Capt. Foote, Co. I; Sergeant Bailey, Co. A; Sergeant White, Co. K; and Corporal Rampe of Co. G.

They report that their regiment had twelve men killed and thirty-three wounded; consequently about one in every twenty was hit. The fatality would have been much greater but for the fact that three companies of the regiment, sharp shooters, occupied a ditch, from the banks of which they delivered a long and murderous fire upon the enemy, without receiving a scratch in return. About thirty have died from disease, and many are now down with the measles. As soon as the necessary recruits are obtained, about seventy, these gentlemen will immediately rejoin their regiment.

Besides their personal experiences, the party brought with them various trophies of the fight. They have an old-fashioned flint-lock carbine, a sabre, with raised letters—"C. S. A"—on the hilt, and a "tooth-pick," which has a blade about eighteen inches long, made out of a rasp or large file, and fitted with a hilt. The regiment retain as mementos of their dashing valor, five secession flags. The party left at noon, on Saturday, in the pursuance of their orders.

TERRIBLE DEATH.—On Saturday morning the little son of William Simon, a fireman on the steam fire engine Atlantic, died a most shocking death. The child, who was an only son, and but twenty-two months of age, crawled to the kitchen stove and drank from the spout of a tea-kettle filled with boiling hot water. The little sufferer lingered through Friday night in extreme agony, but death put a period to his tortures on Saturday morning.

ARREST OF A SECESSIONIST.

Seizure of $500,000 in Confederate Scrip.

Some three weeks since a tall, dark-complexioned man, with jet black eyes and hair and beard of the same color, pretending to hail from Memphis, Tenn., called upon a popular lithographer on Lake street, exhibited some specimens of Confederate scrip, and made known his desire to have an order filled for the execution of a couple of plates, of the denomination of 100s and 50s. The proprietor of the establishment was willing to undertake the job, the price was fixed upon, a proper security given that the pay, some $300, would be forthcoming when the issues were completed, and the gentlemanly southerner took his departure. Such an undertaking had some time previously been offered to another lithographer in the city, but for some reason or another was never finished. The gentleman in question had heard of that transaction. In a short time after the settlement of the contract the artist was in consultation with the Superintendent of Police. The job of lithographing went on swimmingly, and on Saturday was completed and ready for delivery to Mr. Hendricks, the gentleman from the South. He called, was satisfied with the execution of his order, paid the sum agreed upon, and with the package of blank scrip under his arm took his departure from the shop. But at the foot of the stairs Mr. Hendricks was met by a gentleman who had a little business affair to settle with him at the office of Mr. Bradley, in the basement of the Court House. This agreeable gentleman had no objections to carrying the Southerner's load for him. The Southerner consented and meekly followed the detective to the headquarters of his superior. This was on Saturday morning. When taken before the Superintendent and Government Agent, John C. Miller, the prisoner was relieved of some $800 in good Northern funds and the Confederate scrip, the latter amounting to about $300,000. He gave his name as J. N. Hendricks, and claimed to be a native of Ohio. He also asserted that the blank sheets of scrip he had manufactured were counterfeits, and but calculated to swindle the rebels, that he had a perfect understanding with the Government officials at Washington and could do more damage to the cause of the South—and hence more good to the Federal cause, with his money, than could be done with one hundred thousand men. His statements were doubted, however, and did not seem to correspond with his previous movements; and further, it was well known that no such fraud had been or would be countenanced by the United States authorities.

The scrip captured with Hendricks consists of about equal amounts of $100 and $50 bills, in every respect as well lithographed and printed upon paper of as good a quality as that used for the original and genuine Confederate stocks, specimens of any demand sufficient upon the person of the prisoner. The following is a description of both blank issues:

The hundreds read, "Six months after the date of the ratification of a treaty of peace between the Confederate States and the United States, the Confederate States of America will pay one Hundred Dollars to bearer. Richmond, Virginia, September 2d, 1861."

At the right of center is the following:—"Fundable in Confederate stock bearing eight per cent. interest." On the left upper and lower corner is a square border containing the words, "Receivable in payment of all dues except export dues." In the left lower corner is a sailor leaning upon an anchor, with ships in the distance. In the right upper corner the figures "100," right lower corner, the letter "C." Vignette, negroes loading bales of cotton upon a wagon; cotton-press and gin in the distance.

The fifties have the same general inscriptions, the vignette being the Goddess of Commerce, surrounded by money bags and sitting upon a strong chest, with a train of cars in the distance. In the left lower corner is a nautical scene—two sailors, one having a caulking hammer in his hand.

After an examination and consideration of his case it was determined for the safety of all concerned to send Mr. Hendricks to Fort Lafayette, and he started for that locality last evening in charge of an United States officer. Several persons in the city are suspected of complicity in the counterfeiting of Mr. Hendricks, but as yet the police have not been able to obtain sufficient evidence of their criminality to warrant their arrest. The wires are laid for them, however, and it will not be long before they will be in durance vile with their principal.

The Forty-Eighth Indiana Regiment.

The Forty-Eighth Indiana Regiment—as was previously announced by telegraph—left Goshen, Ind., at noon on Friday, by the Michigan Southern road, connecting with the Illinois Central road at the crossing near Ainsworth, which place they left at five o'clock on Saturday afternoon en route for Galva, filling twenty-eight passenger coaches, and having eight cars of baggage.

The Forty-eighth is probably one of the finest of the Indiana regiments. The officers were chosen with perfect unanimity, and in nearly every instance are men of military experience. The privates of the regiment comprise the very bone and sinew of the State, and will come fully up to the standard of Indiana troops.

The following is the roster of the regiment:

COLONEL, Norman Eddy, St. Joseph.
LIEUT.-COLONEL, Melvin B. Hascall, Elkhart.
MAJOR, Dewitt Rugg, Allen.
ADJUTANT, Edward S. Stanfield, St. Joseph.
QUARTERMASTER, Charles L. Murray, Elkhart.
SURGEON, Levi I. Ham, St. Joseph.
ASST. SURGEON, Hiram W. Bowen, Elkhart.
COMPANY A—Capt. Abel D. Townsend, Elkhart.
" B—Capt. H. W. Snipben, South Bend.
" C—Capt. Daniel Crumpacker, Lagrange.
" D—Capt. Orson Wilson, Laporte.
" E—Capt. Thos. B. Roberts, South Bend.
" F—Capt. Alfred Hall, Goshen.
" G—Capt. Richard P. Mann, Elkhart.
" H—Capt. Orville Ade, Osceola, Penn.
" I—Capt. Edward I. Wood, Goshen.
" K—Capt. David Snyder, Jasper Co.

A DISAGREEABLE PECULIARITY.—One of the peculiarities which Professor Anderson occasionally indulges in is a disagreeable way of bowing persons among the audience by which venture to question the integrity of his performances, or to indulge in an inquiring turn of mind. On Saturday evening last one night or two since, resulting from the desire of a gentleman to probe the second sight performance, he placed a small envelope in the box which had a name inside of it, that which could not be read without breaking the seal. In this dilemma the second sight failed, and Anderson resorted to the very discreditable trick of abusing the author of the contrivance, which was neither politic nor beneficial. In numerous other instances he has allowed his roughness to display itself, and those who have accepted his challenge to detect his tricks have found themselves engaged in a controversy which was not characterized by the most gentlemanly demeanor. Professor Anderson's own estimate of himself may be, he is not too good to be talked to by civil people, or to return civil treatment for the cash which he hold into his box office.—*Chicago Times, yesterday.*

The above is a very mild reproof for an unwarrantable assault made on a respectable citizen in the audience. After Professor Anderson has challenged investigation, he is certainly not justified in assaulting the person who accepts his offer, and detects, or thinks he detects, how it is performed. He has been handsomely patronized by our citizens, and they expect him to treat his audience with common courtesy.

A COMPLIMENT WELL MERITED.—In the correspondence of an Eastern exchange we find the following handsome compliment paid to Taylor's Battery of the Chicago Light Artillery, which has already done manful service for the country and will add to its reputation whenever the opportunity presents itself again. The extract is as follows:

"While here I would like to say a word in praise of Taylor's. It consists of six guns, four six-pounders and two twenty pound howitzers. They are unique, in all respects, the most gentlemanly crowd that I ever met. Almost every private in the command is a man of wealth, refinement and high social position at home; all carry into camp with them the refinements of social life. They were in the battle of Fredericktown, Mo., and also in the bloody combat at Belmont, opposite Columbus, in which they fought so desperately that they won from their opponents the title of 'Taylor and his Devils.' The same gentleman also sent them up word by a late flag of truce from Columbus, that if ever the war ended, they should give the 'Taylor Devils" a supper somewhere in Dixie."

INSTALLATION SERVICES.—Rev. Samuel Wolcott, late of this city, was installed as Pastor of the Plymouth Church at Cleveland, on Wednesday last. The *Leader* of that city, speaking of the services, says: "The preacher, Professor Fisk, of Chicago, is not much known in this vicinity, but his discourse was a masterly effort, and commanded the closest attention. His style is simple and perspicuous, direct and strong, and his spirit is fervid. He threw his whole soul into his sermon, and both in doctrine and performance magnified the preacher's office. The other prominent parts were assigned to Rev. Messrs. Thomas and Beverley, of this city, and Fairfield of Oberlin, and were all admirable. Each sustaining the other, and contributing to the general effect. The tender closing prayer of the Rev. Mr. Hawks, breathed the cordial Christian fellowship of another communion."

CHICAGO LIGHT GUARDS, ATTENTION!—There will be a meeting of this corps on Monday evening, February 10th, for business and drill. Every member must be present at roll call. No excuse will be accepted.

For order of the Captain.

E. T. BRADY, Orderly Sergeant.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

HABEAS CORPUS CASE.—A writ of *habeas corpus* was issued Saturday by Judge Drummond, of the United States Circuit Court, on the affidavit of George Rheingraber, directed to Col. Joseph M. Bell, of the 12th Regiment Cavalry, demanding the delivery in court of the body of one Christy Koeth, a nephew of the applicant. The affidavit sets forth that the said Koeth is a minor, and under the age of eighteen years, and that he is now imprisoned at Camp Douglas under color of a certain pretended enlistment in the army of the United States. The writ was made returnable on Monday morning.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.—The business transacted by the Recorder's Court on Saturday was confined to the trial of John C. Stone and Florence McCarthy, on a charge of forgery, which was not concluded at a late hour in the evening. Mrs. Bridget Chase, indicted for attempting to pick ladies' pockets in the lobby of the Post Office, was arraigned and gave bail in $500 for her appearance for trial from day to day.

In the Chancery branch of the same Court, before M. A. Rorke, Esq., a suit for divorce was in progress, in which Henry Maxwell was plaintiff, and Isabella Maxwell, defendant. There is no particular public interest contained in the application for divorce, other than the facts that the defendant, it is alleged, has for some years been an habitual drunkard and has a son of seven years of age whose custody the father prays that he may have. The trial was in progress when the Court adjourned for the day.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT—*Before Judge Thos. Drummond.*—No. 490—Chancery. Frank Cooling vs. Henry T. Rice. Report of master confirmed. Decree to be rendered by Hasl. No. 586.—W. R. Adams vs. F. G. Adams. Motion of plaintiff for a new trial overruled and judgment rendered. No. 589—Bank of Geneva vs. The Marine Bank of Chicago; motion for a new trial overruled and judgment on verdict. No. 590—Henry D. Lloyd vs. W. B. Ogden; order entered as proposed, appointing M. Readon to serve process on Marshal Jones. No. 625—Jacob O. Joyce et al vs. Nathaniel Colver, jr., et al; motion for a new trial overruled and judgment. No. 627—I. N. Davidson vs. A. S. Smith; dismissed on motion of plaintiff. No. 628—National Bank of Boston vs. J. K. Pollard; dismissed at plaintiff's costs. No. 319—Pratt Roberts vs. Abram James; dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

SUPREME COURT—*Before Judge Higgins.*—No. 906—A. G. Davis et al vs. John H. Cole; verdict for defendant—motion for a new trial by plaintiff. No. 60—T. Wheeler vs. Solomon Sturges; motion for a new trial by defendant—sustained and new trial granted. No. 134—Charles Kohler vs. George H. Filchman; motion for a new trial and in arrest of judgment by defendant overruled and judgment on verdict. Appeal prayed for and allowed on filing bond for $300, to be approved by the court. Bill of exceptions to be filed in five days, bond in twenty days. No. 350—John B. Rice vs. American Express Co., motion for a new trial by defendant sustained.

NOTE.—In Thursday's issue we were made to say that case No 927, before Judge Goodrich rendered a judgment against D. D. Brooks, Esq., as surety in the name of the defendant. No such judgment was rendered.

A CARD.—The Sisters of Mercy in charge of the Orphan asylum, return most sincere thanks to Gen. Smyth, Esq., banker, for his generous annual donation of one hundred dollars for the support of the poor and destitute orphans. As these poor little ones are in a state of destitution at present, this true christian charity of this benevolent gentleman is fully appreciated, and most cheerfully acknowledged. The prayers of the poor orphans will accend continually to heaven and be his best reward on earth, and his passport to eternity.

METEOROLOGICAL.—Range of Thermometer for last week, noted by E. L. O'Hara, Druggist, No. 30 West Randolph street:

1862.		7 A. M.	12 M.	6 P. M.
Sunday,	Feb. 2	7	15	22
Monday,	3	26	30	33
Tuesday,	4	30	30	28
Wednesday,	5	28	40	38
Thursday,	6	17	24	23
Friday,	7	15	24	23
Saturday,	8	15	18	15

ANNIVERSARY.—The anniversary of the Bridgeport M. E. Sunday School, which was to have been held this (Monday) evening, February 10th, will be postponed two weeks.

AN EATING HOUSE—Where the business man, or laborer can get a meal suited to the extent of his appetite and the state of his purse, is one of the necessities of the latter. Such a place is kept by S. H. Thompson, No. 58 Dearborn street.

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REMARKABLE CURE.—Out of justice to Madame Victoria Holland, who resides at No. 65 Wabash avenue, in the city of Chicago, I have thought proper to make the following statement; I have been afflicted with the Cancer in the breast several years, during which time I had called upon the best medical men in this city, and had been treated more or less by them, and received no good whatever, and at last pronounced my case incurable, and said I could live but a short time. I sent for the last nine months before putting myself under her treatment, could not eat anything but buttermilk, and in the course of a month after she commenced treating me, threw the cancer off my stomach, and in the course of three weeks more was entirely cured, and can say that the great treatment and success in the cure of other diseases is truly wonderful, and I have no hesitation in saying that it is my honest belief that there is no disease curable but what will give way to her treatment. Residence on the corner of Canal and West Taylor streets. ANTHONY MOORE.

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Meeting of Stockholders.

OFFICE OF THE CHICAGO & MILWAUKEE RAILROAD COMPANY, Chicago, January 31, 1862.

Chicago and Milwaukee Railroad Company.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Chicago and Milwaukee Railroad Company, will be held in Chicago, at the Office of the Company, No. 22, corner of Lake and Dearborn, on TUESDAY, the 11th day of February, next, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the election of Directors to serve the ensuing year, and such other business as may be presented. By order of the Board.

A. L. LOVEJOY, Secretary.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

MONETARY.

SATURDAY EVENING, Feb. 8, 1862.

The money market during the week was excessively dull and uninteresting up to yesterday, when the prospect of the passage of the Demand Treasury Note bill, and the news of the taking of Fort Henry on the Tennessee River, produced a cheering effect. It was manifested in a buoyant hopeful feeling rather than in any considerable increase of transactions. Operators need time to discuss and digest the news and make an average of the real prospects ahead, before acting largely. Stocks our army now upon the line of Tennessee be able to push forward and occupy Nashville or Memphis, or what would be better, both of them, and the Treasury note bill pass the Senate, the West would be in high spirits.

Money for all real business purposes is abundant. Most of the banks have more money than they can employ safely and profitably. The demand continues to come mainly from the pork and provision trade; though some of the Bankers report rather more call from the grain dealers. It will increase of course as we approach the opening of navigation.

The supply of Exchange is still far beyond the demand. The banks take it at par from customers, and sell nominally at ¼ of 1 per cent. premium; but most of them are glad to concede an ¼ on round lots. Indeed 1-16 is sometimes accepted from each other.

Gold is firm at quotations, viz: 2¼ per cent. premium buying, and 3¼ selling rates.

As an example of premium and other funds, we mention that

WILLARD & KEAN, No. 8 Clark street, are giving 1¼ premium in New York Exchange for the bills of the Bank of the State of Indiana; ¼ premium for Canada, and ¼ premium for Iowa. They take Pittsburgh at par cent. discount for Exchange, and Wisconsin at 1¼.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.—There was a mail for Europe to-day, and a few sixty-day sterling bills were sold by banking firms at 110¾@114. Some firms ask 115, and do not care about selling. Prime commercial were offered at 112½@112¾; on Paris, 5.15@5.13¾; Antwerp, 5.20@5.18¾; Hamburg, 37¾@38; and Amsterdam, 42¾@43.—*N. Y. World, Thursday.*

TREASURY NOTES IN NEW YORK.—The New York *Times* of Thursday gives the following as the Wall street joke for the day:

An anecdote is current on the street to the effect that a nervous holder of United States notes went into a Broker's office this morning to sell the notes at a small discount in current funds. The sale was made, and a check on one of the banks taken in payment, which check, on presentation, was paid in the same description of currency! As no sharp practice was meditated by the conveyance of the Notes was no doubt refunded, and the holder left in the consolation that if United States Notes are not good current funds, nothing else short of gold and silver is likely to be considered better.

Whenever Wall street gets tired of Demand Notes, let them be sent West. Our banks cannot get them fast enough to supply the wants of the people.

CINCINNATI.—The *Gazette* says:

In our money market the movements on Friday failed to develop any new feature. Eastern exchange is firm at par buying and ¼ premium selling. There is a moderate demand for gold at 2 premium buying and ¼ premium buying and ¼ premium selling. The notes of the State Bank of Indiana are saleable at 1 per cent. prem. for other currency. Should the legal tender clause of the Treasury note act become a law, the Indiana Bank notes will be in greater demand as the use of coin in redeeming their issues. This would enable the banks to put out their circulation again. The Indiana banks deserve great credit for the promptness with which they have paid coin. The circulation has been forced home rapidly, but they have stood the family test nobly.

MILWAUKEE.—The *Sentinel* of this morning says:

Rates of specie and exchange remain as heretofore noted. There is no great demand for either, while currency is very close. Treasury notes are no longer at a premium, the supply of exchange being equal to the demand, and they are taken and paid out by our banks on a footing with other current funds.

HUDSON RIVER R. R'—The January earnings of this road show the largest increase on the records of the corporation, as follows:

January, 1862	$307,350.18
January, 1861	223,157.37
Increase	$84,172.81

Emeute Among Bank Note Printers.

The elaborate and very interesting "puff" of the American Bank Note Company, in the latest *Harper's Magazine*, has very much exercised rival concerns, if we may judge from their "offers to bet" that appear in the New York papers. First, the Union Bank Note Company, at Newark, N. J., offer to bet $1,000 that, instead of the American Company having "the only geometrical and cycloidal lathe "in existence," it has one itself in daily operation, that will do better work than the other. The Company further challenge Mr. Jones American to a comparison of work on general principles. But the way the New York Bank Note Company comes down on its Wall street rival is magnificently stunning. It offers to bet $20,000 in $1,000 takes, on each of the following twenty propositions, to-wit:

1st. That the notice of the Bank Note Company in Harper's Magazine is the most correct of several years, during which time I had called upon the best medical men in this city, and had been treated more or less by them, and received no good whatever, and at last pronounced my case incurable, and said I could live but a short time. I sent for the last nine months before putting myself under her treatment, could not eat anything but buttermilk, and in the course of a month after she commenced treating me, threw the cancer off my stomach, and in the course of three weeks more was entirely cured, and can say that the great treatment and success in the cure of other diseases is truly wonderful, and I have no hesitation in saying that it is my honest belief that there is no disease curable but what will give way to her treatment. Residence on the corner of Canal and West Taylor streets. ANTHONY MOORE.

February 5, 1862.

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